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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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S&H Form: PTO/SB/17 (2/01) 1086.1139CIP Attorney Docket No. RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE Application Number 09/964,563 MISSING PARTS Filing Date September 28, 2001 First Named Masaaki NISHIKIORI, Inventor et al. Group Art Unit MEDIATION NEGOTIATING METHOD, NEGOTIATION RESPONDING METHOD. Title: AND COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM AND PROGRAM THEREOF Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f) and in response to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed October 24, 2001 for the above-identified application, enclosed are the following: RETURN COPY of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Executed Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney executed by the inventor for completing the missing parts of the subject application. The undersigned registered attorney states that the subject application is the application which the inventor executed by signing the attached Declaration. Formal Drawings (Sheets; Figs) ☐ English-language translation of application (with Translator's Statement (pages)) ☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status Enclosed is a payment of the following: ☐ The filing fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a) \$ ☐ The additional claim(s) fee (claims over 20) ☐ The additional independent claim(s) fee (claims over 3) Multiple dependent claims Petition for Extension of Time (1 -month) \$110.00 ☐ English language translation fee Surcharge as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) \$130.00 SUBTOTAL FEES: \$240.00 Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.27) .00 **SUBTOTAL FEES:** \$240.00 \$240.00 **TOTAL FEES DUE:**

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Since the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application set an original due date of December 24, 2001, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110)); (2 months (\$400)); (3 months (\$920)); (4 months (\$1,440)); (5 months (\$1,960)): **METHOD OF PAYMENT** \boxtimes Check enclosed as payment. П Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. 19-3935, below. **AUTHORIZATION** If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby 冈 authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 necessary to maintain pendency of the present application to: Deposit Account No.: 19-3935 Deposit Account Name: STAAS & HALSEY LLP SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP James D. Halsey, Jr. 22,729 Typed Name Reg. No. January 10, 2002 Signature Date